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Request for Continued Examination

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Schade et al.
Serial No. : 09/834,494 Examiner : J. Reagan
Filed : April 13, 2001 Group Art Unit : 3621
For : MATCH-MAKING IN ELECTRONIC TRADING SYSTEMS

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application.

1. **Extension of Time**
- ☒ No extension of time is needed.
- ☐ Applicant requests an extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. A Petition for an extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

03/03/2005 LLIT 0000010 590510 (09834494) referred to as being attached or enclosed) are being facsimile transmitted to the United States
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